

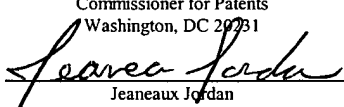


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Filing Date: April 24, 2001
Inventors: Maher et al.
Title: IN SITU THERMAL
PROCESSING OF A COAL
FORMATION WITH A
SELECTED MOISTURE
CONTENT

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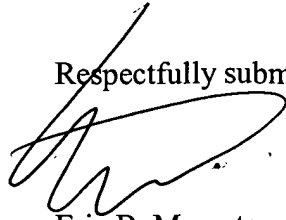
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